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Homicide Investigation Update

The Birmingham Police Department reports that detectives have arrested and charged two suspects in connection with a homicide investigation. The incident occurred Friday 16, 2015 in the 900 Block of 28th Street South.

The victim has been identified as:

Mark Kieskowski, W/M, 47, of Birmingham, Alabama

The first suspect has been identified as:

Jason Hopkins, W/M, 28, of Fultondale, Alabama. A Capital Murder warrant with a no bond has been obtained against the suspect. The suspect is in the custody of the Jefferson County Jail.

The second suspect has been identified as:

Dane Leach, W/M, 46, Transient. A Capital Murder warrant with a no bond has been obtained against the suspect. The suspect is in the custody of the Jefferson County Jail.

If there is anyone who has additional information pertaining to this case, they are encouraged to contact the B.P.D. Homicide Unit @ 254-1764 or Crime Stoppers @ 254-7777.

Refer to media release #4 of 2015 for additional information on this case.

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